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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Iversen et al.

EXAMINER: Lacourciere, K.

SERIAL No.: 09/848,868

ART UNIT: 1635

FILED: May 4, 2001

Confirmation No. 8375

**FOR: SPLICE-REGION ANTISENSE  
COMPOSITION AND METHOD**

**Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed February 5, 2003 in the above-identified application, please amend the application as indicated below. Enclosed herewith are a Petition for a one-month extension of time and a check for the fee of \$55.

No further fees are believed due with this communication. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any deficiency in fees herein to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

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